

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application
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Title: Absorbent Article with Elastomeric
Bordered Necked Material Bodyside
Liner and Method of Making

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RESPONSE

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Ma'am:

The following Communication is in response to the Restriction/Election Requirement set forth in the Office Action dated April 18, 2006, in the above captioned application.